

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA  
Middle District

Civil NO.  
3:24-CV-0270

JAMES ROCHE

PLAINTIFF

VS.

S.C.I. - MAH - R.H.U.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION

Facility, John-Doe

ET AL DEFENDANTS

**FILED**  
**SCRANTON**

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dated Feb 3rd 2024

MR. JAMES ROCHE

Civil ACTION 1983 FARM

Individual - COMPLAINTS & BRIEF OF ISSUES

AND NOW COMES PLAINTIFF Filing A Civil Complaint  
 AGAINST STAFF MEMBER'S whom ARE EMPLOYED  
 WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION AT THIS FACILITY  
 WITHIN PENNSYLVANIA S.C.I. - MAH - R.H.U. AREA OF  
 THE PRISON THIS INCIDENT TOOK PLACE Feb, 22, 2023  
 AND ON GOING UP TO APRIL 4, 2023, REASON UNKNOWN  
 IT WAS LATTER FOUND OUT THAT I WAS PLACE IN  
 LOCK UP R.H.U. PENDING INVESTIGATION DUE  
 TO TRANSFER, THAT TOOK PLACE 4-4-2023, WHERE AT  
 THIS TIME IT WAS REVEALED TO ME THE REASON  
 FOR THE REASON OF "ABUSE" THAT TOOK PLACE AT  
 S.C.I. MAH - R.H.U. BEFORE GOING INTO DETAIL  
 →

LET ME REVEAL WHY? I WAS PLACED IN LOCK UP R.H.U.,  
 FOR ASKING A C.O. JOHN-DOE I ASK DOES  
HE KNOW A PERSON BY THE NAME RACHEL R. AND  
 THE REASON I ASK WAS DUE TO CONVERSATION  
 AND AREA OF LIVING, NOTHING DISRESPECTFUL OR ANY  
 HARM, IT SIMPLY WAS ASK BY ME DUE TO LAST NAME  
 REASON'S NOTHING MORE FOR THIS I WAS PLACED  
 IN LOCK UP (ASS ~~WAKED~~) NO CLOTHING NO  
 SHEETS, NO SHOES, WHILE IN R-H-C-C-I- I  
 WAS CONSTANTLY BEING VERBALLY HARRASSED BY  
 JOHN-DOE OFFICER OF THIS UNIT JOHN-DOE C.O's  
 UNIT BEGAN USING MICROPHONE DEVICE FROM  
 THERE STATION SPEAKING INTO MY CELL -  
 MICROPHONE, THEY BEGAN CALLING ME A LONG-  
 HAIREF FAGGOT AND THAT HOW THEY ARE GOING  
 TO BURN ME OUT OF MY "MINE" THEY FURTHER  
 WENT ON WITH THREATS THREATING TO KILL MY  
 MOTHER AND MY GIRLFRIEND THEY REPEATED THIS  
 AGAIN AND AGAIN THEN STATING MY MOTHER'S  
 NAME IN FULL AND MY GIRLFRIEND'S NAME  
 AND STATING OVER THE PA SYSTEM THE  
 ADDRESS OF MY MOM AND GIRLFRIEND  
 I ASK FOR WRITING MATTER'S SUCH AS SOMETHING  
 TO WRITE WITH TO ADDRESS THE WARDEN OF M.A.H  
 S.C.I. TO NO AVAIL I WAS PLACE IN A  
 SITUATION WHERE I COULD NOT WRITE AND SEEK  
 HELP, WHEN I FINALLY DID GET SOMETHING TO  
 ADDRESS THIS ~~LEGAL~~ BEHAVIOR I REPORTED THIS ISSUE

TO MY RESPONDENT WARDEN B. MASON "VIA" REQUEST SLIP  
 BEFORE PRESENTING THE WARDEN MASON I REQUESTED  
 THAT THE C.O.'S JOHN-DOE OF THE R.H.U. LOCK UP  
 AREA FOR GRIEVANCE'S FORMS TO NO AVAIL EACH TIME  
 CORRECTION OFFICER'S JOHN-DOE WOULD SPEAK INTO MY  
 CELL REPEATING IF YOU PUSH THAT BOTTON AGAIN  
 FUCKING BUGG'ING US WE WILL BEAT YOU TO DEATH  
 IN THAT FUCKIN CELL SO YOU HEAR ME, A RUNNER  
 SLIP ME PAPER AND SOMETHING TO WRITE WITH, AND  
 SAID ON PAPER DON'T MENTION MY NAME THEY  
 HAVE YOUR INTERCOM ON IN YOUR CELL JUST WRITE  
 DOWN WHAT YOU GOING TO SAY AND I'LL SEND IT  
 OUT FOR YOU, THIS TOOK PLACE. I ADDRESSED WARDEN  
 MASON, SHE REPLIED THAT CAPTAIN TAYLOR WOULD  
 INVESTIGATE THE MATTER, CONCERNING VERBAL  
 ABUSE, HE NEVER INVESTIGATED THE SITUATION  
 THE PROBLEM PROGRESS WORSE, THE CAPTAIN NEVER  
 WROTE OR SPOKE TO ME ABOUT. SO MEAN WHILE  
 I AM STILL IN "AC" DETENTION STATUS UNDER  
 INVESTIGATION UNTIL THE MIDDLE OF MARCH  
 UNSURE OF WHY? I WAS IN THE LOCK UP  
 HOLE UNIT IN THE FIRST PLACE... WHEN IT GOT  
 WORSE STILL, IN THE MIDDLE OF MARCH, 2023  
 THE PROGRESSION OF THE HARRASSMENT INCREASED  
 THE C.O.'S ONCE AGAIN SHOUTED ON THE INTERCOM  
 SYSTEM IN THE R.H.U. AREA MICROPHONE TOLD  
 ME TO BLOCK MY DOOR WITH MY MAT THAT WAS GIVEN

TO ME AFTER I ADDRESSED WARDEN MASON OF MAH-S.C.I  
 ANDHOW JOHN-DOE OFFICER'S SAID AGAIN PLACE YOUR  
 MAT UP BY THE DOOR, SO YOU CAN BE ON T.V.  
 THEN THE NEXT DAY STATED PLACE YOUR MAT UP AGAINST  
 YOUR DOOR SO THEY CAN TEST THE CAMERAS, HOWEVER I  
 DIDNOT DO IT, HOWEVER THEY PROVOKED ME WITH LOUD  
 SOUNDS AT NIGHT AND SAYING BLOCK YOUR DOOR SO  
 WE CAN COME DOWN THERE AND THROAT FUCK YOU  
 WITH A BATON SO I SNAPPED, I COMPLIED TO  
 THERE ORDER I BLOCK MY DOOR WITH MY MAT  
 AND THEY CAME TO MY CELL WITH GAS MASK ON  
 AND SPRAYED MY CELL, THE JOHN-DOE OFFICER'S  
 OF THIS R-H.U. ASSAULTED ME WHEN ENTERING  
 MY CELL I WAS TAKEN DOWN AND KICK, KNEE PRESS  
 AGAINST MY NECK, WHILE ASKING FOR HELP DUE  
 TO BEING SPRAYED WITH PEPPER SPRAY FOR NOTHING  
 JOE DOE OFFICER'S HAD BEEN HARRESSING ME  
 NIGHT AFTER NIGHT PLACE YOUR MAT AT YOUR DOOR  
 I FOLLOWED THERE ORDER, ONCE THEY HAD THERE FUN  
 THEY TOOK ME TO THE NURSE TO HAVE MY EYE'S  
 SPRAYED, I WAS NOT ALLOWED TO SHOWER STILL  
 FROM THERE THEY BROUGHT ME BACK TO R.H.U.  
 (A HOUSING UNIT) TO A CELL WITH A CAMERA  
 LOCATED INSIDE IT, I NEED TO EXPLAIN HOW  
 THEY TURN THIS WHOLE MATTER AROUND TO  
 MAKE IT APPEAR AS I AM A NUT WHEN  
 THEY PRESSED ME FOR NO REASON, ONCE THEY  
 PLACE ME IN THIS CELL THEY STRIPPED ME NAKED

while in HANDCUFFS AND PLACED ME ON THE GROUND  
 CAN THE COURT REALIZE I HAD UNDER 9000 WEEKS OF  
 MENTAL ABUSE BY CORRECTION OFFICER'S WHO WOULD NOT  
 REVEAL THERE NAME'S, THE WARDEN FULLY AWARE OF THIS  
 ABUSIVE BEHAVIOR OF OFFICER'S AND THE CAPTAIN  
 BEING INFORMED OF THIS SITUATION DID NOTHING  
 NEVER INVESTIGATED I NEVER SEEN HIM, ONCE  
 AS I'VE EXPLAIN BEING TAKEN TO THE INFIRMARY  
 THEY TOOK ME TO (A BLOCK CELL) THE OFFICER'S  
 JOHN-DOE ORDERED ME TO LAY DOWN ON  
 THE CELL FLOOR ONE OFFICER PLACE HIS  
 KNEE INTO MY ~~NECK~~ WHILE THE OTHER  
 C.O.'S JOHN-DOE STOOD THERE AND VIDEO  
 TAPED IT ON A CAMCORDER THE RANKING  
 OFFICER'S NAME WAS LT. REBARCHIK THE  
 OTHER OFFICER'S HAD NO I.D. TAG ON  
 I WAS DENIED SHOWER'S, YARD, SOAP,  
 TOILET PAPER AND BLANKETS FROM THAT  
 POINT ON WARD'S I WAS IN THE R.H.U.  
 A - BLOCK CAMER CELL I SAW A KIND  
 C.O. FROM C SIDE WHO MOVED ME TO  
 R-H-U. B-BLOCK WHERE THE ABUSE  
 CONTINUED, NO SHOWER'S, NO BED NO,  
 CLOTHING, AREA'S OF EVIDENCE 1). HOLE REPORTS  
 2). CAMERA'S VIDEOS OF EACH AREA CONCERNING  
 R.H.U. LOCK

MR. JAMES ROCHE QP0904

MIDDLE DISTRICT OF

S.C.I. ROCKVIEW

P.O. BOX A

(A)

PENNSYLVANIA

1, ROCKVIEW PLACE

BELLEFONTE PA 16823

(IN THE SPACE ABOVE ENTER THE FULL NAMES OF THE PLAINTIFFS)

- AGAINST - S.C.I. M.A.H. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS  
 JOHN DOE'S IN THE R.H.U. FACILITY FIRST AND 2ND  
 SHIFTS. JOHN DOE OFFICERS LOCATED IN R.H.U. BLOCK -  
 C-I. WARDEN MS. MASON AND CAPTAIN TAYLOR ALL EMPLOYED  
 BY THE STATE FACILITY M.A.H. S.C.I. CORRECTIONS  
 (IN THIS SPACE ABOVE ENTER THE FULL NAMES OF THE  
 DEFENDANTS.)

I, PARTIES IN THIS COMPLAINT (A). LIST YOUR NAME,  
 MR. JAMES ROCHE QP0904 S.C.I. ROCKVIEW PLACE  
 P.O. BOX A BELLEFONTE PA 16823 → PLAINTIFF

DEFENDANTS AS STATED ALL ARE EMPLOYED BY THE STATE  
 CORRECTIONAL DEPARTMENT OF PENNSYLVANIA S.C.I.  
 M.A.H.

### "STATEMENT OF CLAIM"

1). WARDEN MASON BEING THE RESPONDED OF THE  
 PLAINTIFF, FAILED TO ACT UP WRONGFUL ABUSE  
 OF OFFICERS WITHIN HER FACILITY, TOWARDS MY  
 PERSON PROVOKING SITUATIONS TO HAVE REASON  
 TO MOVE UP PLAINTIFF TO PLACE ASSAULTIVE  
 FORCE UPON THE PLAINTIFF, BY SPRAYING  
 CHEMICAL PEPPER SPRAY IN MY FACE, ALL THIS  
 WAS REPORTED TO WARDEN MASON

(B)

ALSO CAPTAIN TAYLOR WHOM WAS NEGLIGENT IN THE INVESTIGATION HIS ACTIONS SUPPORTED ONLY OFFICER'S BODY CAM'S CAMERA'S ETC. ALL PROVES ABUSE AND WHAT WILL APPEAR AS FUD FOR OFFICER'S LISTED AS JOHN DOE NAME TAGS WERE REMOVED MOST OF ALL NO REASON OF WHY? I WAS DETAINED IN R.H.U. CUSTODY NO MISCONDUCT NO HARM TOWARDS MYSELF NOR ANY OTHER PERSON THESE EVENTS TOOK PLACE FEB 22, 2023 UP TILL APRIL 4<sup>th</sup> 2023

(A) WHERE DID THE EVENTS GIVING RISE TO YOUR CLAIMS OCCUR → IN A LOCK UP AREA OF THE PRISON OF S.C.I. M.A.H.

(B) FACTS I WAS ABUSED BY WORDS, AND BY OFFICER'S PLACING THERE KNEES UPON MY NECK FOR NOTHING, THREATING MY LIFE AND MY PARENTS LIFE AND MY GIRLFRIEND → REFER TO COMPLAINT STATEMENT

(C) WARDEN MASON COULD HAVE ENDED AND CORRECTED THIS MATTER WHICH UP IN CIVIL VIOLATIONS UNDER THE 8<sup>th</sup> AMENDMENT AND ASSAULT ISSUES AS WELL AS SLANDER AND DEFAMATION MATTERS CAPTAIN TAYLOR WHOM SHOWED SIGNS OF NEGLIGENCE FAILING TO INVESTIGATE WHY? I WAS IN A LOCK UP SITUATION NO MISCONDUCT → ONLY ASK A C.O. WAS HE

RELATED TO THIS PERSON C.O. RENNENGER THE REASON FOR THIS ASKING FROM ME WAS BASE ON OFFICER HAVING THE SAME NAME LAST NAME AS THE PERSON I KNOW AND THIS CAUSE ME TO BE ABUSE MENTALLY BY PLACING ME IN A CELL WITH NO CLOTHING AND SUBJECTED TO A CAMERA BEING WATCH WITH NO CLOTHING ON. THERE WAS NO ONE ELSE INVOLVED TO BACK MY TRUE STORY THIS CONDUCTED AND DONE IN A LOCK UP AREA OTHER INMATE'S IN THIS LOCK UP AREA IN OTHER CELLS HAD TO HAVE OVER HEARD MY CRY FOR HELP NOTE → INTERVIEW PLAINTIFF WAS TAKEN TO HOSPITAL AREA OF THE PRISON AFTER STATING I CANNOT SEE FROM PEPPER-SPRAY IN MY EYES THE NURSE TOLD ME SHE WOULD FIGURE OUT WHAT'S GOING ON I STATED "CRUEL AND UNUSUAL PUNISHMENT"

RELIEF- PLAINTIFF REQUEST COMPENSATION PRETENDING TO 8<sup>th</sup> AMENDMENT 1.8 VIII MENTAL SLANDER DEFAMATION, THREATS OF PLACING AN OBJECT IN MY MOUTH DEFAMING MY MOTHER AND GIRLFRIEND AND PHYSICAL TORTURE BY PLACING ME NECK IT IN A CELL WITH NO BED AND PHYSICALLY PLACING KNEES UPON MY FACE AND NECK AREA--EMOTIONAL STRAIN SIMPLY ASSAULT FAILING UNDER TORT-LAW WHERE THE PERSON'S WHO ACTED THIS PART OUT INTENDED, THE ACT TO CAUSE PAIN AND MENTAL REACTION'S → → → → → → → →

WHEN THE ACT HURTS AN INDIVIDUAL, WHETHER OR NOT  
 THERE IS A STATUTE MAKING THE ACT A CRIME  
 IT FALLS UNDER CIVIL LAW → WHAT MAKES UP A  
 CASE 1). A PROBLEM 2). A LOSS 3). A LAW  
 I'VE BEEN TORTURED BY D.O.C. CORRECTIONS OFFICERS  
 FOR NO REASON MENTALLY TORTURED DAY AFTER DAY  
 EACH SHIFT 1, 2ND SHIFT WHY? FROM LOCKING  
 ME IN THE HOLE YOU HURT MY MOM'S NAME  
 AND ADDRESS AND MY GIRLFRIEND AND HER  
 ADDRESS AND USED IT TO ASSAULT ME MENTALLY  
 BY SAYING YOU WILL KILL THEM IF I DON'T PLACE  
 MY MAT UP AT THE DOOR OF MY CELL, ALL GIVING  
 YOU A REASON TO ATTACK ME IN MY CELL  
 THE PRAYER FOR RELIEF THE COMPLAINT CONCLUDE  
 WITH A PRAYER FOR RELIEF OR A DAMNING CLAUSE  
 WHICH IS A SHORT SUMMARY OF THE PLAINTIFF'S  
 REQUEST. THIS STATEMENT MAY BE AS SIMPLE A  
 WHEREFORE, THE PLAINTIFF DEMANDS JUDGEMENT  
 AGAINST THE DEFENDANT IN THE SUM OF  
 TWO HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS  
 (\$250,000.00) WITH INTEREST, ATTORNEY'S FEES,  
 AND COSTS PLAINTIFF DEMANDS JUDGEMENT  
 AGAINST THE DEFENDANT IN AN AMOUNT TO BE  
 DETERMINED AT THE TIME OF TRIAL. FINAL  
 (INTENTIONAL HARM TO A PERSON)  
 ASSAULT, BY PLACING ME IN FEAR FOR MY  
 WELL BEING, DEFAMATION OF MY NAME AND  
 PARENTS AND GIRLFRIEND WHY?

I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT THE FOREGOING  
IS TRUE AND CORRECT

Signed this 3RD day of FEB., 2024  
mailing address S.C.1-ROCKVIEW-P.O BOX A  
1 ROCKVIEW PLACE-BELLEVILLE

1, ROCKVIEW PLACE-BELLEFONTE,  
PA 16823

SIGNATURE OF PLAINTIFF

James Roche

TELEPHONE NUMBER

Fax Number

E-MAIL ADDRESS

James Boche  
SIGNATURE OF PLAINTIFF

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P.O. BOX A

1, Rockview Place  
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